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### GRAVE OPENED.

Some Doubt as to Whether Remains of Patrick Emmet Were Interred at Dublin.

(Associated Press.)

Dublin, Aug. 6.—At the instigation of Mr. Robt. Emmet, of New York, an examination was made yesterday of the grave supposed to be that of Patrick Emmet. A skeleton was found to be that of a man six feet high, whereas Emmet was only five feet seven inches. A curious circumstance in connection with the examination was that the skull, instead of being found lying prone and attached to the trunk, was in an upright position, which, as Emmet was beheaded, may strengthen the theory that the remains were his. But the matter is still regarded as doubtful.

### TOO LATE.

Daughter of Engineer Low Passed Away Before Her Father Reached Beside.

(Associated Press.)

Chicago, Aug. 6.—To reach the sick bed of his young daughter, reported dying in Los Angeles, Cal., Henry E. Low, of New York, chief engineer of the United States Steel Corporation, is still

ing across the western prairies on a \$4,000 special train that promises to beat all transcontinental records. Mr. Low left New York on Tuesday afternoon at 2.45 o'clock, and is due in Los Angeles at 11 o'clock on Friday evening, making the total time for the trip from the start three days and nine hours. Telegraphic messages have been sent, directing that relays of locomotives be prepared, and that Mr. Low's train be given the right-of-way.

### THE COWES REGATTA.

Five Yachts Started in Race For Prize of \$500 Presented By Town.

(Associated Press.)

Cowes, Aug. 6.—Five yachts started in to-day's race for a prize of \$500 presented by the town of Cowes. The start was made in a moderate breeze. The Bona was first across the line, followed by Cicely, Theresa, the German Emperor's Meteor III, and Brynhild. The Bona won the race.

## THE SULTAN MAY EMPLOY ALBANIANS

### TO SUPPRESS THE REVOLT IN MACEDONIA

Such Action Will Probably Lead to Massacres—Severe Measures to Be Adopted.

(Associated Press.)

Constantinople, Aug. 6.—Consular advices received here yesterday from Monastir, indicate that the situation in Macedonia will constantly grow worse.

At a meeting of the ministers, it has been decided to adopt measures of extreme severity to suppress the revolution. It is reported that Albanian troops will be employed, in which event massacres are almost inevitable.

The Bulgarian Patriarch was summoned to the Yildiz Palace on Wednesday, and urged to make a final appeal to his flock to deliver up their arms and thereby avoid bloodshed.

The mounting attitude of the Kurds in Armenia is causing increasing alarm at Erzeroum, Bitlis, and Kharput. It is asserted in some quarters that the authorities are secretly arming the Kurds, while endeavoring to convict the Armenians of revolutionary intentions.

Bomb Throwers Active.

Salonica, European Turkey, Aug. 4.—A bridge at Eckison, which is 87 miles northwest of Salonica, and a railway storehouse at Bonzai have been dynamited. The telegraph line between Salonica and Monastir has been cut. The greatest uneasiness exists in the highest and best informed circles, and a renewal of the bomb throwing outrages are feared. The authorities are taking extraordinary precautions.

A dispatch last night from Constantinople announced that the Porte had abandoned all ideas of withdrawing the Turkish troops from Macedonia, and is making vigorous preparations to draft troops for the disturbed districts. A circular note had it. It is stated, been sent out to warn the European powers of the Turkish government's intention. The note stated that the situation is very serious, and although it did not mention Bulgaria, the document is regarded as a menace to the Bulgarian government.

A TRUCE.

An Agreement Reached Between Canadian and United States Salmon Packers.

(Associated Press.)

Seattle, Aug. 6.—As a direct result of the treasury department's recent ruling permitting American salmon packers to recover a drawback of duty paid on foreign fish caught for export, the Canadian packers have sought a truce in the warfare going on near the border waters. A conference has just been held here between J. A. Russel, of Vancouver, B. C., and T. B. McGovern, of the Pacific Packing & Navigation Co., at which it was agreed that the Canadians would cease fishing in American waters, and the Americans, so far as the salmon combine is concerned, will keep out of Canadian waters.

The Canadians for years have encouraged fishing in American waters for the canneries, but the duty on salmon prevented retaliation by the Americans. With the drawback allowed by the treasury the Americans were put in a position to retaliate.

### WRECKED BY STORM.

One Man Killed and Many Injured By Collapse of Building at St. Louis.

(Associated Press.)

St. Louis, Aug. 5.—One man was killed between 25 and 30 injured, three or four fatally, by being thrown from the world's fair buildings during the storm this afternoon. At 4.15 o'clock the hospitals on the grounds were filled and ambulances were called for from the city to take the wounded.

### ANOTHER DEATH.

Chinaman Injured in Recent Cumberland Explosion—Passes Away.

(Associated Press.)

Nanaimo, Aug. 6.—Another Chinese miner injured in the recent colliery explosion at Cumberland succumbed to injuries last night, making a total of six men now dead.

### TO SELECT CANDIDATE.

(Special to the Times.)

Nanaimo, Aug. 6.—Delegates from Comox and Cumberland meet at Cumberland this evening to nominate a Liberal candidate. The names mentioned are Dr. Millard, a local physician; H. Smith, member of the miners' union; and F. McYoung, a Nanaimo lawyer. C. H. Bevort Potts, a Cumberland lawyer, has also been suggested.

The Manitoba Construction Co., which is composed of Winnipeg's leading contractors, has secured the contract for extensive shop improvements to be made by the Canadian Pacific Railway Co. in their yards at Winnipeg. The work includes passenger cars, locomotives, freight cars, machine shops, and stores department.

### BLOWN TO ATOMS.

Explodes of Nitro-Glycerine Magazine Killed Three Men and Destroyed Plant.

(Associated Press.)

Bluffton, Ind., Aug. 5.—The Empire Nitro-Glycerine Company's magazine here exploded this afternoon. The entire plant was destroyed and three employees were blown to pieces. It is also believed that a visitor who entered the plant just before the explosion was killed.

Parts of the machinery were blown 500 feet. It is supposed the explosion was caused by a driver dropping a can.

The explosion was heard for 50 miles, and so great was its force that a hole 100 by 150 feet and 20 feet deep marks the spot where the magazine stood. Pieces of flesh, machinery and building material were picked up in all directions. There seems to be no foundation for the report that a stranger entered the plant just before the explosion and lost his life. The property loss was \$20,000.

### NEW RECORD.

Ulotoma Makes Fast Time in 314 Fur-longs Race at Seattle.

(Associated Press.)

Seattle, Aug. 6.—The world's record for 314 fur-longs has been beaten by one-quarter of a second by Ulotoma, who ran the distance in 41 1/2 at the Meadows. The new record was made in the third race in which Judge Tjomsen, the world's record quarter horse, was one of the starters. Ulotoma is by Savado, out of Lightning, and made her initial appearance on a recognized track at the Meadows in June last. She is owned by W. F. Robb, of this city.

### SALARIES OF MEMBERS OF THE COMMISSION

Resolutions Adopted in Dominion House

—New Chief Counsel on Alaska Boundary Case.

(Special to the Times.)

Ottawa, Aug. 6.—In the House to-day the resolutions fixing the salaries of the commissioners and secretary of the jail commissionership were adopted. The chairman gets \$10,000, the other two commissioners \$8,500, and the secretary \$4,000. Mr. Blair said that an expenditure of about \$100,000 would be necessary the first year.

Labor Commission Report.

Mr. Earle asked if the report of the commission appointed to investigate the labor troubles in British Columbia would be presented to the House. Sir Wm. Mulock said that it would be as soon as printed.

Going to Vienna.

Hon. C. Sifton said that Dr. Bell, of the geological survey, was going to attend a conference in Vienna. If the congress would hold its next meeting in Canada the government will give a grant.

Chief Counsel.

Sir Edward Henry Carson, solicitor-general of England, has been appointed chief counsel on the Alaska boundary case, in the place of the Hon. Edward Blake, M. P., South Longford, who retires on account of ill-health. It is not likely that there will be any adjournment of the argument. It will be prosecuted on September 3rd.

### WHITAKER WRIGHT

Still in Jail Awaiting Approval of Some of Proposed Sureties For Bail.

(Associated Press.)

London, Aug. 6.—Whitaker Wright, the arrested promoter and director of the London & Globe Corporation, Ltd., the hearing of whose case was yesterday adjourned to August 24th, is to-day still in jail, some of the proposed sureties for his \$250,000 not having yet been approved.

CARNEGIE'S GIFT.

He Explains His Object to Trustees Who Will Approve Out Scheme at Dunfermline.

(Associated Press.)

London, Aug. 6.—In handing over to representative citizens of his native town, Dunfermline, who were his guests at Skibo Castle early this week, a trust deed transferring to them \$2,500,000 in five per cent. bonds of the United States Steel Corporation, and Pittencrieff Park, Andrew Carnegie explained the objects he had in view in these words:

"It is an experiment, the objects of which is to attempt to introduce into the monotonous lives of the toiling masses of Dunfermline more of sweetness and light, to give them, especially the young, some charm, some elevating conditions of life which their residence elsewhere would have denied, so that a child in his native town will feel, however he may have risen, that simply by virtue of being such, his life has been made happier and better."

Mr. Carnegie said he had provided for this experiment in his will more than twenty years ago, but his retirement from business enabled him to put the scheme into operation during his life-time.

The problem set to the trustees was: "What can be done in towns to benefit the masses by money in the hands of the most public spirited citizens?" It was provided that good could be done. Mr. Carnegie exhorted the trustees not to be afraid of making mistakes, to try many things freely, but to discard just as freely, keeping in touch with the masses and constantly aiming to improve their tasks, tastes, and ways of life.

## EMPEROR OPPOSED CARDINAL RAMPOLLA

RIGHT OF VETO WAS ENFORCED BY AUSTRIA

The New Pope's Reception of the Diplomatic Body Accredited to Holy See.

(Associated Press.)

New York, Aug. 6.—A special cable dispatch from Rome to the Tribune says that it is learned from an authoritative source that the much talked of right of veto in the conclave, by many considered no longer a right because it had fallen into disuse, was actually enforced by Austria last Sunday. Cardinal Rampolla stood far ahead of all others on the ballots, and would have been elected, when suddenly the conclave was thunderstruck by receiving a telegram direct from Emperor Francis Joseph saying that he exercised his veto absolutely against Cardinal Rampolla. The greater part of the Sacred College was much irritated, especially the French cardinals, who declared that they would not recognize the veto, but a night's rest brought better counsels, and the conclave decided that in the present position of the church in France, the Holy See could not fail to give heed to the protest. It was thought that the Austrian Emperor's dispatch might have been the result of the joint wishes of the triple alliance. This did not, however, allay the irritation of France, which found itself powerless.

Further investigation of the fatality on the islet off Macaulay Point on Tuesday completely established the fact that Henry Caldwell, was the only man killed. No other person was reported missing, and there was no evidence adduced to strengthen the theory which at first arose, that the unfortunate man's fate had been shared by another. Until yesterday afternoon, when Sergeant Murray and Provincial Constable Johnson returned from the scene after examining the pockets on the lower part of the body which had been blown into the water, the identity of the dead man could not be positively asserted. But when they reported that they had found in the pocket a bill to Caldwell from Dr. Ernest Hall and other articles known to be his, all uncertainty on the score of identification was allayed.

The question of identity having been solved it remained for the coroner's jury to investigate the circumstances of the affair. The inquiry was held yesterday afternoon, and the result of the jury's deliberations was a verdict of accidental death. Five witnesses were examined after the jury had visited the scene of the tragedy.

D. T. Jones, the boatman, was the first. He said that Mr. Caldwell came to him about 7:15 a.m. and engaged a boat. He said he was going to a camp at Macaulay Point and would do a little fishing. He wore a cap when first seen by witness, but this had been changed for a straw hat when he left the boat house. He had no fishing gear, but carried a minnow bag. He was alone but had asked for a small pair of oars for the boy, who "could row," evidently meaning one of his boys whom, it seemed, he intended to take from the camp.

Mr. Berkley, aunt of the deceased, said Mr. Caldwell had lived with her since last September. She was camping at Kanakai ranch, but he had not been with them. She last saw him on Government street on Monday at 6 p.m., and he was in good spirits, more cheerful than he had been for some time. He did not speak of coming down to the camp. She identified the purse found on deceased as one she had given him, and also a bill from Dr. Ernest Hall, while she believed the cap and pipe belonged to him. She also identified the photograph of that of a nephew.

Provincial Police Constable Geo. Johnson gave evidence as to the recovery of portions of the remains and where they were found. There was a sack full of stones attached to a rope nearby. In the pocket, after taking the body from the water, he found a pocketbook, and in another pocket a bill addressed to him. There was some money in the pocketbook.

Sergeant Murray gave an account of his search by lamp-light on the night of the occurrence. By this light he had been unable to find the lower part of the body, which was recovered next day.

Morris Berkley, a cousin of the deceased, identified the handkerchief found. His cousin he said, had been in the hospital for some time.

In summing up, Coroner Hart explained that in this case the jury had two verdicts open to them. One was accidental and the other suicide. There was no direct evidence of either, but if they were unable to come to any decision regarding either, an open verdict would be received. The jury deliberated for a short time and then returned the verdict of "accidental death."

The funeral of the deceased will take place to-morrow morning at 10:45 a.m. from the parlors of the B. C. Funeral Furnishing Company, and half an hour later at Christ Church cathedral.

## JURY FIND DEATH WAS ACCIDENTAL

THEIR INQUIRY INTO TUESDAY'S FATALITY

Definitely Established That Henry Caldwell Was the Only Man Killed—Evidence at Inquest.

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## Seasonable Necessities

Aromatic Strawberry Compound, Essence of Ginger, Lime Juice, Fruit Salts, Citrate of Magnesia, Fly Papers, Ispachine. Everybody ought to have these in the house. Let us supply you.

## Campbell's Prescription Store

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## To Campers

A regular car service is given daily by the Tramway Company to Oak Bay and the Willows. Cars leave Government street terminus for Oak Bay on the even hour and every twenty minutes thereafter; for the Willows at 10 minutes past the hour and every twenty minutes thereafter. Campers making use of this service will find it a great boon, as the terminus at Oak Bay as well as that at the Willows are both within easy distance of the favorite camping resorts.

## B. C. ELECTRIC RAILWAY COMPANY, A. T. Goward, Local Manager.

## STRATHCONA ON NEW FISCAL POLICY

### NO CAUSE FOR ANY RESENTMENT BY STATES

Says Canada Trusts the Judgment of  
Mr. Chamberlain—The Pacific  
Cable.

Montreal, Aug. 5.—The Star's London  
cable says:

"Lord Strathcona in the Daily Graphic  
admits that Canada will not be willing to  
lightly surrender her fiscal independence,  
but denies the necessity and says:  
'The new fiscal arrangements will be set-  
tled after careful consideration. States-  
men on either side of the Atlantic can-  
not see why business men anxious to come to a good agreement to begin with,  
an arrangement should not be made of  
mutual benefit to Canada and Britain  
alike.'

Lord Strathcona admitted that an  
early result of any preference would be  
to attract large numbers of United  
States farmers to Canada, but Cana-  
dians do not view such immigration with  
anything but satisfaction, confident from  
past experience that these new settlers  
would make the best of citizens. He also  
denied that there was any cause of re-  
sentment by the United States and Amer-  
ican business men in the proposal of  
Mr. Chamberlain. Between their states, he said, there exists an arrangement for  
the most complete mutual benefit, while  
they interfere a tariff against the out-  
side world. Why should they resent the  
establishment of a mutually-benefiting  
arrangement between the States and Great  
Britain. We do not resent any part of the domestic policy of the United  
States. Why should her citizens resent  
any change in Britain's policy?" Lord  
Strathcona added that he believed that  
throughout Canada to-day there exists  
the greatest confidence in Mr. Chamber-  
lain. "Canada believes in him, and trusts  
his judgment and ability," he said.

The Pacific Cable.

Official advises from the Imperial  
treasury, published in Australia, show  
that the Pacific cable is expected to have  
to face a loss of \$1,060,000 on March  
31st next. The expenditure for the first  
year while the line was under construc-  
tion was \$800,000, of which Canada pays  
\$105,000. The estimated loss on the cur-  
rent year of \$400,000 makes a total de-  
feat of \$1,000,000.

Accommodation Sold.

Every second sabin birth on steamers  
leaving for Canada are engaged right up  
till September. Those unable to secure  
passage direct are going to Canada via  
New York.

No Complaints Received.

The Canadian emigration office has not  
received a single letter of complaint from  
Barr colony immigrants. Those placed in  
newspapers bear no names.

IMPROVING TELEGRAPHIC.

New Copper Wire Will Be Strung in  
Manitoba and Northwest.

Winnipeg, Aug. 5.—James Kent, gen-  
eral manager of the Canadian Pacific  
telegraphs, accompanied by B. S. Jenkins,  
the Western superintendent of the  
company, arrived in Winnipeg this morning  
after having completed an inspection  
of the lines of the company from  
here to the Coast. Everything was  
found to be in the best of order. Mr.  
Kent announced the work on several  
new lines for the Manitoba section of  
the C. P. R. telegraphs. New copper  
wires are being strung from Brandon,  
Nipawin, and Minnedosa, and from  
Calgary to Edmonton, and  
MacLeod. Last season copper wires  
were strung from Winnipeg to Fort  
William and Swift Current. These are  
chiefly needed in increased business  
created by the growth of the grain trade,  
but are also used for other purposes.  
The company has now on hand material  
for an addition of over three hundred  
miles of new wires.

An inch of rainfall represents 100 tons of  
water to an acre.

RECEIVED BY POPE.

Visit of United States Pilgrims to the  
Vatican—The Pontiff's Message.

Rome, Aug. 5.—The American pilgrims  
was to-day received by Pope Pius X. They were met at the bronze door of  
the Vatican by Monsignor Kennedy, rector of the American college. They  
were taken to the unique hall of inscrip-  
tions. Cardinal Gibbons, Monsignor  
Keenly and Monsignor Bisletti dis-  
appeared. Suddenly there was a murmur,  
"Hush, hush," and they saw two Swiss  
guards enter from a corridor. Before they  
could quite realize it the Pope stood  
among them; his whole person emanated  
great benignity and cordiality. He walk-  
ed slowly out with the firmness of quite  
a young man, down the long kneeling  
line, accompanied by Cardinal Gibbons  
and Monsignor Kennedy, and giving  
blessings to the pilgrims as he passed.  
He spoke a few words to almost every  
one.

Occasionally, as the Pope passed  
along, he laid his hand on the head of  
pilgrims. When he reached the last person  
in the line he turned; while all the pil-  
grims knelt, he gave the apostolic blessing,  
ending with the words, "I recom-  
mend myself to your pious prayers."

Premier Vernerell has sent out a  
circular ordering all government officials  
to abstain from participating in the  
festivities over the election of the new  
Pope, as Pius X. has not notified the  
government of his election.

The Associated Press representative  
was received in audience to-day by Pope  
Pius X., being the first journalist of any  
nationality to have this honor. The Pon-  
tiff graciously granted the prayer of the  
correspondent to send a message to the  
American people, saying word for word:  
"I love the Americans, who are the  
blooming youth of Catholicism. Convey  
to all of them how gladly I impart my  
apostolic blessing to the whole country."

### NAVAL MANOEUVRES.

Twenty-Six British Battleships and  
Forty-Three Cruisers Engaged.

London Aug. 5.—War was declared to-  
day between the home fleet, under the  
command of Admiral Wilson, com-  
mander-in-chief of the Channel  
squadron, and the Mediterranean fleet, com-  
manded by Admiral Donville. The an-  
ticipated naval manoeuvres com-  
menced as regarded as the most  
interesting yet devised by the Admiralty.  
Altogether 20 battleships and 43  
cruisers will be engaged in a presumed  
contest for the command of the sea be-  
tween two maritime countries.

### HOPELESS CASES.

When the doctor leaves and says the  
case is hopeless, what remains to be  
done? Nothing, if you will listen to the  
statements of men and women who were  
once "hopeless cases" given up by  
doctors, and who were perfectly and  
permanently cured by the use of Dr.  
Pierce's Medical Discovery.

Nothing is more sure than that  
thousands of men and women with  
diseased lungs, obstinate coughs,  
hemorrhage, emaciation and night-  
sweats, have been restored to perfect  
health by the use of the "Dis-  
covery."

It has cured in  
ninety-eight cases out of every hundred  
where it was given a fair and  
faithful trial. By that record you have only  
two chances in a hundred of failure and  
ninety-eight chances of being restored  
to perfect health. It is worth trying.

Albert Pierce, Esq., of Rockbridge Co.,  
writes: "My wife had a most attack of  
peur and trouble; the doctors gave her  
up to die. She commenced taking Dr. Pierce's  
Golden Medical Discovery and she began to  
feel better. From the first she had a  
fever, but she had taken eight or ten bottles she was cured,  
and it was the cause of a large amount being  
sold here. I think the 'Golden Medical Dis-  
covery' is the best medicine in the world  
for the cure of disease."

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Medical Adviser containing over a thou-  
sand large pages is sent free on receipt  
of stamps to pay expense of customs and  
mailing only. Send 31 cent stamps  
for the book in paper covers, or 50  
stamps for the cloth-bound volume. Ad-  
dress Dr. R. V. Pierce, Buffalo, N. Y.

### BRITAIN AND FRANCE.

French Baron's Plea For Adoption of  
Conciliatory Policy.

Paris, Aug. 5.—Baron D'Estournelles  
de Constant, who headed the French  
parliamentary arbitration group on its  
recent visit to London, has written an  
important letter to Foreign Minister  
Debasche.

The letter says that during twenty  
years the fear of parliamentary opposition  
has alone prevented the settle-  
ment of the Anglo-French difficulty and now  
that the fear is dispelled, nothing  
prevents the adoption of a conciliatory  
policy.

All the British statesmen whom he  
saw, without distinction of party, says  
the baron, were unanimous in desiring  
this suggested new policy which must  
be as clear as the former one was obscure.  
The new policy has three essential  
objects:

1. The conclusion of a remarkable arbitration  
treaty similar to that negotiated  
between Great Britain and the United  
States, and in accordance with clause  
19 of The Hague international arbitration.

2. A reduction in the overwhelming  
naval expense. An agreement with  
France and Russia, concerning which  
the baron claims to have received categorical,  
verbal and written assurances.

3. A friendly settlement of the out-  
standing differences which for 20 years  
have vainly exhausted the resources of  
diplomacy.

Baron D'Estournelles urges Minister  
Debasche not to let this favorable  
moment slip by. He finally announces his  
intention of putting a question to the  
ministers on the subject in the Chamber  
of Deputies when parliament reas-  
sembles.

After several matters of routine business  
had been disposed of the budget  
committee presented their report. Several  
of the items were discussed at length,  
the following budget being finally  
adopted, covering a year's expenditure  
and income:

Salaries	\$1,620.00
Rent	300.00
Light and Fuel	235.00
Magazine and papers	40.00
Printing and stationery	50.00
Telephone	48.00
Advertising	20.00
Postage	25.00
Furniture	100.00
Repairs	25.00
Travelling expenses	15.00
Sundries	100.00

Estimated Income.	\$2,028.00
From sustaining members	\$1,200.00
From ordinary members	750.00
Other sources	200.00

	\$2,150.00

This would leave a balance to be  
raised by special subscription.

The budget committee recommended  
that steps be taken immediately to raise  
\$1,500 in subscriptions to cover the ex-  
penses for three years, payments to be  
made yearly or half yearly. After  
lengthy discussion it was felt that this  
was the best plan, and the finance com-  
mittee was instructed to institute a can-  
vass of the business men.

It was thought that, inasmuch as the  
members generally, and especially the  
board of directors, had supported the  
movement so heartily, the public could be  
counted upon to respond to an appeal at  
this time.

The association is on a firm basis and  
has already proven its right to assistance.  
The class of work done to-day by the  
association appeals to the average  
young man. It stands for the develop-  
ment of a strong, vigorous manhood, and  
the greatest question is not money, or  
buildings, or relationships, or exten-  
sions, it is men. The board of the local  
association has been very judicious in  
their expenditures, and being practical  
business men, can be relied upon to make  
the best use of any money contributed  
to the work.

The chief business of the meeting,  
however, was the consideration of the  
Victoria branch of the Provincial Mining  
Association which was turned to a  
circular from the parent body pointing out  
that there were now twenty-one active  
branches throughout the province harmoniously working for the advance-  
ment of the industry.

The following is a partial list of the  
prominent men who have already sub-  
scribed to the work: James Dunsmuir,  
Weller Bros., David Spencer, Hon. E. A.  
Smith, R. P. Ritter & Co., Mayor Mc-  
Candless, Ald. Barnard, T. M. Hender-  
son, Lieut.-Col. E. G. Prior, Ald. Kins-  
man and Senator Macdonald.

### MUST STICK TO CONSTITUTION.

Secretary Draper's Opinion Regarding  
Qualifications of Two Local  
Upions.

An important communication was read  
from Secretary Draper, of the Dominion  
Trades and Labor Congress, at last  
night's meeting of the Victoria Trades and  
Labor Council. It was in reference to  
that section of the constitution making it  
compulsory for unions to be affiliated  
with international organizations of their  
craft. Mr. Draper wrote that the wood-  
worker's and huckmen's unions recently  
admitted to the council were ineligible.

Considerable discussion was provoked  
by the reading of this communication,  
and finally it was decided that the unions  
mentioned be allowed three months in  
which to comply with the rule.

The resolution of the Winnipeg Trades  
Council condemning the immigration of  
mechanics into this country was endorsed  
by the council.

The Labor Day celebration committee  
reported that they had been unable to  
make arrangements to date for an ex-  
cursion to Vancouver on September 7th.  
They will send a member to the Ter-  
minal City if necessary to make arrange-  
ments.

An application from Harold Burnett  
asking representation on the council on  
behalf of the newsboys' union was re-  
ferred to the organization committee.

The following delegates were received:  
Street Railway Employees, Messrs.  
Smith, D. Miller and W. A. Smith;  
Blacksmiths, J. McLeachie; Garment  
Workers, Miss Sweeny and R. Herbert;  
Plumbers, A. Marion and W. H. Braden.

The names of delegates from the dis-  
trict B. C. S. S. union were stricken  
from the list.

### REVOLT PROCLAIMED.

Hostilities Reported to Have Broken  
Out in Macedonia.

Sofia, Aug. 5.—The Macedonian com-  
mittee announces that a revolution was  
proclaimed at the Vilayet of Monastir  
last Sunday, in conformance with the  
decision of the central revolutionary  
committee. The committee state that all  
the revolutionary forces in the dis-  
trict of Monastir, Rezen, Ochrida, De-  
bre, Kentevo, Portekha, Krongher, Po-  
rli, Serin, Kaylari and Demirlika  
simultaneously commenced hostili-  
ties. All telegraphic communication  
has been cut off in the districts men-  
tioned. The announcement has not been  
confirmed owing to lack of communica-  
tion.

Situation Serious.

Constantinople, Aug. 5.—The Porte  
has abandoned all idea of withdrawing  
troops from Macedonia, and is now  
making vigorous preparations to draft  
troops for the disturbed districts. A cir-  
cular note has been sent out warning  
the powers of the intention of the  
Turkish government. The note states  
that the situation is very serious, and  
although it does not mention Bulgaria,  
it is thought to be the best medicine in the world

for the cure of disease."

Whitaker Wright, the promoter and  
director of the London and Globe Corporation,  
Limited, was arraigned at the  
Guildhall police court, London, on Wed-  
nesday, and was remanded after the  
formal evidence of his arrest had been  
taken. He was released on bail of \$250.  
00, himself providing \$125.00, and  
three securities guaranteeing the re-  
mainder.

Lifebuoy Soap—disinfectant—is strongly  
recommended by the medical profession as  
a safeguard against infectious disease.

### HEALTHY GROWTH OF NEW ORGANIZATION

Nearly Three Hundred Names on Mem-  
bership Roll—The Association's  
Year's Budget.

The first meeting of the Y. M. C. A.  
board of directors since the arrival of  
the new general secretary was held on  
Tuesday evening in the association parlors.  
R. W. Clark, the president, was in  
the chair, and the board was repre-  
sented by Messrs. McMicking, Siddall,  
Stanland, Scowcroft, Martindale, Whiting-  
ton and Knott. The reports of the  
different committees showed a healthy  
growth. The secretary's report showed  
that the rooms were used extensively by  
the young men. The membership was in-  
creasing, there being now 205 names on  
the roll, and that there was a general  
feeling of appreciation and confidence  
towards

**Gillard's  
Pickle and  
Sauce**

**Knox's  
Gelatine  
TRADE  
SUPPLIED**

**R. P. Rithet  
& Co., Ltd.,**

WEATHER BULLETIN.

Daily Report Furnished by the Victoria Meteorological Department,

Victoria, Aug. 6—5 a. m.—The pressure is highest on the Oregon coast, but a moderate low barometer area is hovering off the Queen Charlotte Islands. Light showers fell at Port Simpson and thunderstorms occurred there and at Spokane, but fair warm weather is general over the North Pacific slope. From Cariboo eastward to the Great Lakes, a vast high barometer covers the entire region, and the weather is chiefly fair and cool, with showers at Winnipeg and Port Arthur.

Forecasts.

For 36 hours ending 5 p. m. Friday.

Victoria and vicinity—Moderate or fresh southerly winds, generally fair, with stationary or lower temperature.

Lower Mainland—Light or moderate winds, generally fair, with stationary or lower temperature.

Reports.

Victoria—Barometer, 30.11; temperature, 57; minimum, 56; wind, 10 miles S. W.; weather, clear.

New Westminster—Barometer, 30.10; temperature, 56; minimum, 56; wind, 6 miles E.; weather, fair.

Kamloops—Barometer, 29.98; temperature, 56; minimum, 56; wind, calm; weather, clear.

Barkerville—Barometer, 30.10; temperature, 48; minimum, 42; wind, calm; weather, cloudy.

San Francisco—Barometer, 30.00; temperature, 56; minimum, 48; wind, 4 miles W.; weather, clear.

Port Simpson—Barometer, 29.98; temperature, 56; minimum, 50; wind, 4 miles N.; rain, .04; weather, rain.

Edmonton—Barometer, 30.16; temperature, 46; minimum, 46; wind, calm; weather, clear.

TORONTO MINING EXCHANGE.

(Furnished by the Stuart Robertson Co., Ltd., Successors to A. W. More & Co., Ltd., Mining Brokers, 28 Broad St.)

Toronto, Aug. 6.—The following are the closing quotations on the Mining Exchange to-day:

Asked.	Bid.
Black Taff .....	4 2
Canadian G. F. S. ....	4 1/2 3 1/2
Cariboo .....	13 ..
Cariboo Hydraulic .....	75 ..
Centre Star .....	30 25
Crow's Nest Pass Coal .....	\$3.50 \$2.75
Deer Trail Con. ....	25 14
Dominion Coal .....	2 ..
Fairview Corp. ....	5 3
Giant .....	4 3
Granby Smelter .....	\$4.50 \$3.75
Iron Mask .....	6 ..
Lone Pine—Surprise Con. ....	2 ..
Morrison .....	3 1
Mountain Lion .....	4 2
North Star .....	28 20
Payne .....	14 11
Ramblin' Cariboo Con. ....	20 17
Republic .....	35 ..
St. Elmo .....	48 40
Virtue .....	7 5
War Eagle Con. ....	14 11
White Bear .....	4 3
Wonderful .....	4 ..

Toronto Sales To-day.

Wonderful—2,000 at 3.

Rossland Sales Yesterday.

Giant—5,000 at 2%.

War Eagle—1,000 at 11.

Serious rioting is in progress at Lorient, on the coast of Brittany, where labor troubles have been brewing for the past several days. The militia was called out, but the rioters put out the street lamps and erected barricades. The cavalry charged, the troopers losing their tempers, rode down the mob, striking men with the flat of their sabres. The crowds show no signs of dispersal.

The firm of Hurlburt, Hatch & Co., whose assignment has been announced on the New York Stock Exchange, was composed of John Hurlburt, E. N. Hatch, board member, and J. F. Smith. The co-partnership was formed September 12th, 1890. An assignment was made to Henry B. Detchem, Esseley & Detchem, of 35 Wall street.

**POWELL DEFEATED  
THE CALIFORNIAN**

**SPLENDID STRUGGLE  
BETWEEN TWO EXPERTS**

The Victorian Was in Superb Form—Other Fine Contests in Yesterday Afternoon's Play.

Every available seat was occupied when the first set of the Freeman-Powell lawn tennis contest commenced yesterday afternoon at the Belcher street courts. More general interest was taken in this event than any of those previously played, and when Powell, the Victorian crack, and Freeman, one of the best of California's players, faced each other the prevailing opinion was that the latter would win, although the local man would undoubtedly put up a good fight. However, Powell proved to be in the best of trim, while his opponent was decidedly off color. When Powell kept forging ahead, securing one game after the other, the greatest surprise was manifested. Many thought at first that the visitor was not calling upon all

J. Tyler and Miss Seymour beat J. D. Hunter and Mrs. Langton, 8-6, 6-3, 6-3.

J. Rithet beat E. Langworthy, 6-4, 6-4.

Pooley and Goward beat Macrae and Leeming, 6-2, 6-3.

Miss Mars and Miss Todd beat Miss Seymour and Miss Worden, 4-6, 6-4.

R. B. Powell beat L. R. Freeman, 6-2, 6-2.

Farquhar and Cricketman beat Capt. Bunker and Major Black, 6-3, 5-7, 6-1.

Beecher and Cambie beat Lieut. Cameron and Capt. Popham, 8-6, 6-0.

Capt. Bunker and Miss Vernon beat Capt. Hickney and Miss Rithet, 9-7, 6-2.

Mrs. Langley beat Miss V. Powell, 6-4, 6-0.

Hilton beat Cricketman, 6-1, 6-2.

Farquhar and Miss Smith beat Bell and Miss Davidson, 7-5, 6-3.

F. T. Cornwall beat J. Tyler, 6-1, 1-6, 6-1.

H. Woodward beat B. Tye, 6-2, 6-2.

Pooley and Miss Baker beat O. G. Pratt and Miss Worden.

R. B. Powell and Miss Bickford beat A. T. Goward and partner, by default.

The fixtures for this afternoon after 4 o'clock follow:

5 p. m.—No. 1 Court—F. T. Cornwall vs. winner of Hilton and Pooley.

No. 2 Court—Cambie and Miss Hickney vs. winners of Rithet and Miss Dunsuir vs. Capt. Bunker and Miss Vernon.

No. 3 Court—Mrs. Langley vs. winner of Miss Macrae vs. Miss Seymour.

UNABLE TO PLAY.

Boston, Aug. 5.—A default by one of the British players and a decisive defeat for one of the American contestants made the first day's play for the international lawn tennis challenge cup at Longwood Cricket Club not only dull, but disappointing. It

doubt Finnie, the young south paw pitcher, who is conceded to be one of the best left-handers outside the league, in fact he has had league offers, but prefers the standard work offered him by the Fredrick & Nelson people. Woodworth is their other pitcher, and he shut the Olympic team out by 2 to 0 on the 4th of July. Bergin does the catching, L. A. Gault, 1st base, Tatton 2nd base, Kelsey 3rd base, Helms short stop, Mulcahy centre field, Hulen right field, and Franklin Woodworth left field.

To-morrow's game will be called at 4.15, the evening games being over for this season.

For Victoria, Emerick will do the pitching to-morrow, and on Saturday Victoria's young south paw, Blackburn, will do the twirling. Blackburn has now pitched three games for the seniors and has clearly demonstrated his ability to hold his own in senior company. With good support he should never have the least trouble in winning his games. Chase will do the catching in both games.

AT OAK BAY.

Last evening a match was played between the Pandora street nine and the Oak Bay team. After seven closely contested innings the latter team was victorious by a score of 8-4. Herd and Sylvester were the battery for the Pandoras, and Nason, Dempster and Coulson for Oak Bay.

ANOTHER VICTORY.

A game was played last evening between the Minnehaha and Yip-Yaps, resulting in a victory for the former. A spectator contributes the following account of the match:

"Another victory for the Minnehaha, champions of everything the other side of the Gorge bridge. Once more they sent the Yip-Yaps down to defeat amidst the acclamation of a large crowd of visitors and the numerous families camped in the vicinity. S. Rayner, the twirler for the winning team, kept his opponents busy stirring the atmosphere and guessing where the 'next one' would come. The catcher, J. Anderson, was a regular stone wall behind the plate, and the support given by the remainder of the team was A1. The city of Victoria nine will have to pull up their socks when they are challenged to meet the Minnehaha if they want to win. The score was 12-2. Out of five matches played by the campers the Minnehaha have won three and drawn one."

INTERMEDIATE LEAGUE.

On Saturday afternoon at the Caledonia park or Oak Bay the deciding game of the intermediate league will take place. The contesting nines will be the Fernwood and Hillside, and one of the fastest exhibitions of intermediate baseball is confidently anticipated. According to reports, both these teams have been preparing for the forthcoming contest and will put up a determined fight for the championship. The records of the rival teams this season is so even that there is no saying which will win out. So far the Hillside have won the most games, but they have played one more than the Fernwoods. There is little doubt that the latter aggregation will defeat the Capitols, when they will be on an even footing with the Hillside. On the last occasion these two teams met the Fernwoods were victorious, but by a narrow margin. They were, however, once beaten by the Esquimalt nine, which neutralized the advantage they gained over the Hillside. The Fernwoods are likely to be slightly handicapped on account of Cansusa having strained his arm in last Saturday's game with Esquimalt. H. Herd will do the twirling in his stead, and promises a surprise for the boys from the north, by having a good assortment of benders with lots of speed, and a very quick delivery. The team will be picked from the following: Robertson, Gray, Herd, A. Shanks, Carlow, S. Shanks, H. Jameson, H. Macmillan, M. Malcolm, A. Jeffs and Cansusa.

The standing of the league follows:

Played.	Won.	Lost.	To Play.	Pts.
Hillside .....	5	4	1	8
Fernwoods .....	4	3	1	2
Esquimalt .....	5	4	1	2
Capitols .....	4	1	3	2

THE RING.

FIGHT AT CROFTON.

Bobby Clarke, of Victoria, and "Kid" Broad, of Seattle, met at Crofton in a glove contest of what was to have been twenty rounds, for a small purse. From the start Clarke fought a long-distance battle, and was very cautious, broad making the pace. When the opening came, in the sixth round, Clarke cleverly side-stepped and ducked, planting his left with a full-power jab straight over the "Kid's" heart, and at the same time crossed with his right to the point of the jaw, a heavy jolt. Broad went down and out, ending a very stiff and interesting battle.

SNAILHAM HAS ARRIVED.

W. Snailham, who is matched to meet Caesar Attell in this city on August 13th, arrived from the Mainland last evening, in company with his trainer, "Spider" Welch. The forthcoming contest will be for twenty rounds, and as Snailham and Attell are evenly matched one of the closest contests of the year is anticipated.

YACHTING.

SMART MANOEUVRING.

Atlanic Highlands, N. J., Aug. 5.—Capt. Winge, of Shamrock III, and Capt. Bevis, of Shamrock I, got into a hot contest in to-day's race of the two boats of Scotland lightship, and the masterly fashion in which the clever skippers handled the big racers delighted Sir Thomas Lipton, and Capt. McKinstry, of the Teutonic, and Capt. Bertram F. Hayes, of the Arabs, his guests, as well as the Erin's company. Capt. Winge, who has yet to discredit Sir Thomas' word that he is the best of Great Britain's skippers at getting a coveted position at the start, sent the challenger over the line with the old boat under her for a ten-mile boat to windward, and a run home on a rattling 2-knot breeze from the southeast.

The conditions were the old boat's best chance, and Capt. Bevis fretted for 15 minutes, while his craft was blanketed by the fleet-footed challenger. Then he whirled Shamrock I about on the other tack. Capt. Winge followed, and again blanketed Bevis' craft. Shamrock I promptly tacked again, and just as promptly the challenger whirled about. Seven tacks they made in three minutes, each time Shamrock III, holding the old boat

under her lee. The seventh time Capt.

Revis got ahead on his boat, while the challenger was filling away, and Shamrock I slipped through the challenger's lee and got her wind clear, but had not the heels to hold it.

Shamrock III was still to windward and soon overhauled her pacemaker, so that the latter had to tack again. Capt. Winge did not follow, but gave his attention to getting to the turning mark. Up to that time the old boat had held her own well, but afterwards she rapidly dropped astern, and was beaten by 2 minutes and 27 seconds elapsed time at the turn.

Running home to the finish line in such a breeze the old boat ought to be at her best, yet the cup hunter added almost five minutes to her victory, an astonishing performance.

Harry A. Faulkner, former member of the House of Delegates, was at St. Louis, after his third trial on the charge of perjury, convicted, and his punishment fixed at three years' imprisonment. A motion for a new trial was made.

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Register Your Vote

As but a very short time now remains  
before the present list is closed, it is necessary  
that those who have not already  
registered should do so AT ONCE. This  
can be done at any of the following places:

Harvey Coombe, Court House.

J. P. Wain, 57 North Park St.

W. J. Hanna, Douglas St.

Lee & Fraser, Trounce Alley.

J. D. McNeven, Labor Hall.

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R. T. Elliott, Law-Chambers.

Dr. L. Hall, Brunswick Block.

John Wilson, Cor. Linden and Belcher.

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Arthur Lee, 58 Collinson St.

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Michigan St.

Major Nicholles, at Nicholles & Renouf's

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T. G. Hayner, 58 Fernwood.

Liberal Committee Rooms, Broad St.

Kirk's Coal Office, Victoria West, Satur-

day and Monday evenings.

Johns Bros., Douglas St.

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evenings.

THE OLD LIST WAS CANCELLED ON

JUNE 16th.

A PERFECT GUARANTEE.

The men who speak for the great Conser-  
vative party would cut a much better  
figure if they made the best of a very  
difficult situation from their point of  
view and frankly admitted the bargain  
made by the government with the Grand  
Trunk Railway Company to be a good  
one, promising to be of vast benefit to the  
Dominion. They are simply making  
themselves ridiculous in their absurd  
blunderings from one untenable point of  
criticism to another.

The first objection taken was that the  
scheme was developed simply and solely  
for the benefit of the railway company.

The sections which would pay from the  
beginning were to be constructed by the  
company. One of these was the mountain  
section from the prairies to the Pacific  
Ocean. We hope that portion will  
pay from the running of the first train,  
but we have our doubts. The wealth of  
British Columbia does not lie so close to  
the surface as does the wealth of the  
prairies. Our crops are not produced in  
abundance in the course of one season.  
The line through this province will be  
the most costly to construct and prob-  
ably the last to earn dividends, though  
we hope not. In one respect the new  
road will have a great advantage. The  
government has taken care that no water  
shall be injected into the stock. The

railway will not be compelled to earn in-  
terest upon fictitious capital. That and  
the fact that the government has abso-  
lute control of rates, without any  
hampering clauses whatever, should in-  
sure reasonable charges and the greatest  
possible stimulus to development.

The section from Winnipeg

east, designed to pierce a country of un-  
known possibilities, and therefore of  
doubtful potentialities, was to be con-  
structed by the government and handed  
over to the company practically as a pre-  
sent. Now the ground is shifted. There  
is no guarantee that the company will  
operate the line after it is built.

We are told the government will  
have no compelling grip, with the  
exception of rolling stock worth a  
palty five millions of dollars, which  
may be worn out and obsolete be-  
fore the charges upon the company for  
rental become due. That is the criticism  
of some Conservative papers. The Col-  
onist asks: "What is to prevent the  
Grand Trunk Pacific in ten years' time  
from shifting its traffic west of Winnipeg  
into the present Grand Trunk system,  
and making Portland, Maine, the effective  
terminus of the whole system? We  
see nothing in the contract to prevent it."

The fact that the Grand Trunk has no  
lines of its own approaching within  
hundreds of miles of Winnipeg should be  
sufficient to prevent it. It is true the

company might secure running powers  
over American roads and an outlet in  
that direction, but it is questionable  
whether freight could be carried as  
economically over such round-about  
routes as over an air line direct to the  
sea. In fact there is no doubt upon the  
subject whatever. The water routes are  
closed up for fully five months in the  
year, and during that time at least all  
the advantages will lie with the direct,  
short, all-Canadian route.

But there are other safeguards. Sir  
Wilfrid Laurier referred to them as fol-  
lows in laying the government's policy  
before the House:

"I will come presently to the objections  
which I see in the faces of hon. gentle-  
men opposite. They will ask me: What  
guarantee have you that the company  
will be able to pay that rate of interest?  
I will come to that presently. But let  
me first give to the House the provision  
we have made for the use of the rail-  
way for traffic by other roads. It is our  
intention that this line of railway shall  
be a common highway for all the rail-  
ways who want to use it, and for this  
purpose we have made a provision in  
the contract in the following language:

"24. The said lease shall also contain  
proper and usual provisions.

(a) Reserving to the government in  
respect of its ownership, present and  
future, of the Intercolonial and any other  
line or lines of railway, running powers and  
haulage rights over the said eastern  
division upon equal terms with the less-  
ees, subject to such reasonable restric-  
tions as may be necessary to secure  
safety and convenience in the operation  
of all the traffic over the said division  
and subject to the payment by the gov-  
ernment of such reasonable and just  
adequate compensation as may be agreed upon  
by the government and the company;

(b) Reserving power to the government  
to grant running powers and haulage  
rights sufficient to enable any railway  
company desiring to use the said eastern  
division or any part thereof, to do so upon  
such terms as may be agreed upon  
between the companies, or, in case of  
their failure to agree, then upon such  
terms as may be deemed reasonable and  
just by the government, having agreed  
to the rights and obligation of the less-  
ees;

(c) Securing to the government, in re-  
spect of its ownership as aforesaid, run-  
ning powers and haulage rights over the  
western division, or any portion thereof,  
upon such terms as may be agreed upon  
between the government and the company;

(d) Securing to any railway company  
desiring to make use of the same, run-  
ning powers and haulage rights over the  
said western division, or any portion thereof,  
upon such terms as may be agreed upon  
between the government and the company;

(e) Securing to the company running  
powers and haulage rights over the Inter-  
colonial railway, or any portion thereof,  
upon such terms as may be agreed upon  
between the government and the company;

(f) Securing to any railway company  
desiring to make use of the same, run-  
ning powers and haulage rights over the  
said eastern division or any part thereof,

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between the government and the company;

(g) Securing to any railway company  
desiring to make use of the same, run-  
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upon such terms as may be agreed upon  
between the government and the company;

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said eastern division or any part thereof,

upon such terms as may be agreed upon  
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said western division or any portion thereof,

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between the government and the company;

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between the government and the company;

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ning powers and haulage rights over the  
said eastern division or any part thereof,

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between the government and the company;

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desiring to make use of the same, run-  
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**City News in Brief.**

Going to Vancouver or Westminster? Take the Terminal galaway at 7:00 a.m. daily.

Go it easy during the summer weather; take time to cool off; buy a Palmer hammock from Weller Bros., and swing yourself to sleep.

John Taylor's connection with the Taylor Mill Company as manager since its organization was severed on Tues day last.

A general meeting of the Veterans' Association, Vancouver Island, will be held in the Pioneer hall on Friday evening at 8 o'clock. A large attendance of the members is particularly requested. The question of having an excursion and other matters will be submitted for ap proval.

The funeral of Wm. Crandell took place this morning from the parlors of W. J. Hanna, to the Roman Catholic church. Rev. Father Laterne conducted the services. The following acted as pall-bearers: F. Christison, R. Penketh, Thos. McDowell, J. Hannan, J. Hogan and J. Grady. Many flowers were presented.

The body of the late Wm. Crandell, who was drowned at Sidney on Sunday morning, was brought to the city yesterday. The funeral will take place this afternoon, the arrangements being in the hands of the Boilermakers' Union, of which Mr. Crandell was a member. The verdict of the jury at Sidney was accidental drowning.

There are quite a number of people now living in Victoria and other parts of British Columbia who took out policies in the Mutual Life of Canada ten or fifteen years ago in the ordinary life plan, and had their dividends applied in reduction of their premiums. They now have the satisfaction of paying a reduced premium lower than men are paying for insurance in assessment companies, and besides they have standing to their credit cash and paid-up values printed in their policies which are available to them at any time, and which are increasing every year, while the premium has been decreasing. Particulars of these can be had on application to R. L. Drury, Provincial Manager, 34 Broad street.

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Nothing of importance was transacted at the meeting of the Fish and Game Club last evening.

Fast steamers for Skagway, Dolphine sail August 7th, 17th and 27th; Humboldt sails August 2nd, 12th and 22nd. E. E. Blackwood, agent.

A number of invited guests were entertained at Esquimalt last evening by officers of H. M. S. Amphion, which will leave shortly for the Old Country.

Divide service will be held at Congregation Emanuel to-morrow (Friday) evening at 7:30. Rabbi Montague N. A. Cohen will deliver his farewell sermon. Service Saturday morning at 10. The rabbi will confirm two boys and address them during the service.

President Creighton and Secretary McConnell, of the Victoria Kennel Club, are gradually completing arrangements for the open air dog show to be held at the Caledonia grounds on August 22nd. The premium list and entry forms will be issued by Saturday. It is the intention to hold a retrieving contest, the competing dogs to be judged not altogether by speed, but according to general efficiency. For the winner of this the Victoria club is offering a handsome silver and leather flask. Endeavours are being made to arrange other attractions, principal of which are races of a novel character and a small trained dog show.

Little of importance was dealt with at yesterday afternoon's meeting of the board of police commissioners. The chief's report for the month, the substance of which has already been published, was submitted. The fines collected amounted to \$430. He also reported that no complaint had been made against any member of the force. Commissioner Price drew his attention to the report that young girls had been seen at the side entrance to a certain saloon, and the chief promised to investigate. The latter was also granted leave of absence to attend the convention of police chiefs at Portland this month.

The A. O. U. W. ball was last evening the scene of an excellent entertainment given by the H. M. S. Amphion variety company. Vocally and instrumentally the programme was a great success. Among the features were Mr. Templeton's descriptive song, "The Famous Jockey," the selection, "The Two Irish Knockabouts," by Messrs. Eakers and Hooper, and the mandolin and banjo quartet by Messrs. Wakesman, Bird, Wellings and Flatt, whose selections were well received. Mr. Wherton provoked much merriment by his rendering of the comic song, "Barney Roger," given in Devonshire dialect. An amusing sketch, "Handy Sam," by Messrs. Eakers, Givanville, Hooper, and Rozel concluded a very enjoyable entertainment. The entire programme showed that among the handy men on this station there is a great deal of talent of a superior order.

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Thomas Nicholson has been appointed principal of the Wellington schools.

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Mrs. M. R. Douglas laid the corner stone of her son's new residence, Fairfield estate, this afternoon at 3 o'clock.

The schooner Amethyst was sold at noon to-day to the Ucluelet Mercantile Company by Auctioneers Jones. The successful bid was \$250.

Several cases of infraction of the fire prevention and health by-law were dealt with by Magistrate Hall this morning. Fines were imposed. A couple of drunks were punished after the same manner.

The remains of the late Harry Gaydon were conveyed to their last resting place yesterday afternoon, the funeral taking place from the apartments of W. J. Hanna. Rev. H. J. Wood officiated, and the pall-bearers were as follows: J. W. Bland, R. W. Savage, Henry Farrell and W. P. Allen.

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Ward was received by the J. B. A. rowing committee yesterday from Astoria, announcing that the Oregon club was willing to pay the expenses of seven men to attend the regatta. It is understood that this proposal will be accepted. The senior and junior four-oared crew will likely be sent, and in all probability some canoers from this city will also compete.

The Inveraray Nurseries on Park road, with store at 41 Fort street, have been taken over by Mr. P. T. James, late gardener for the Douglas estate, and are now under his capable management. A choice selection of cut flowers, plants, etc., are in stock, to which your attention and patronage is solicited. Decorative work, floral wreaths and wedding bouquets by Messrs. Wakesman, Bird, Wellings and Flatt, whose selections were well received. Mr. Wherton provoked much merriment by his rendering of the comic song, "Barney Roger," given in Devonshire dialect. An amusing sketch, "Handy Sam," by Messrs. Eakers, Givanville, Hooper, and Rozel concluded a very enjoyable entertainment. The entire programme showed that among the handy men on this station there is a great deal of talent of a superior order.

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PEACHES, PEARS AND APRICOTS ..... 20c. per Tin

PINEAPPLE, in 1/2 lbs ..... 15c.

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As announced in the Times yesterday afternoon, George Van Horst, well-known in police circles in this city, had confessed to the Seattle police that he was in the hold-ups at Leschi Park and in the home of T. S. Lippy, the well-known Klondike capitalist. To a Seattle Times reporter he said:

"We were out looking for a good house to 'tumble.' Lippy's looked good and we tried it. We did not know who lived there. I don't know a thing, hardly about this town. We were at work upstairs when the girl came in. When she came in we held her up. We thought she was the mistress of the house. She was badly scared and she screamed."

"Wasn't it a rather dangerous place for a robbery?" was asked. "No, sir, a house like that where people are passing by is the best. I'd rather 'tumble' such a place than any other."

"Would you have hurt the girl?" "No. There's no use hurting people. I might have choked her if it was necessary. I took hold of her and made her keep quiet."

"While we were at the girl she said that the master of the house would be home soon. I made up my mind to wait for him. I was upstairs again when Lippy came. I heard him at the door, I ran down and into the double door leading into the front rooms. Mr. Lippy is mistaken in some of the things he tells about the way the play come up. It was this way:

"I stood in the double doors with the other man behind me. The man had no gun. I couldn't let him handle one. He wasn't safe. He was liable to go up in the air. And I don't believe in hurting anyone unless you have to. I could kill a man though if I wanted to."

His lips drew tight again, and he looked up from the floor, but he said it very quietly.

"But I don't believe in such things. It is not necessary. When Lippy stepped up to about the foot of the stairs I stepped out, about five feet from him. He held the gun on him and told him to throw up his hands. He showed back his hands. I knew I had him all the time. I always keep my eye on a man. I watched him closely. I told him again to put up his hands. Then, when I stepped toward him he put his hands out to fight."

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"When I struck Lippy sort of sank down. He would have gone out if the blood hadn't started right away. But when it flowed he recovered a bit. He was game all through, that man, but I had him and he put his hands up."

"How did you come to miss the demands he made?" was asked. "The other man bound him. He tied his hands together, palms toward one another. When I tied him and was close to him it was up on the stair-landing in the dark. I did not see the rocks. I would have gotten them if I had."

"No, the man with me was not an old hand. I do not know a crook on this coast. If I did, I'd have been out of this place long ago. But I had to pick up this young fellow, and I lost out through that."

"At the Leschi Park hold-up this other man fell down. When I was in the other room with the two men who came in from the launch he let Johnson sham the door shut between us, and I couldn't open that door and hold my gun on those two men at the same time. That other man was with me when the policemen started for me. I saw the boy from the lake tip us off. I did not run upstairs for this gun, as I knew it was no good for shooting. If it had not been for the fact that I have my folks to think of, I would have been carrying a gun. Then it would have been different."

"If it wasn't for my folks I would be as good a crook as walks. I can go strong if I want to."

He said this so quietly that it was a little hard to catch his words.

"I am a pretty good runner at times. I have been crippled with rheumatism; that is one reason why I got caught. Then I slipped in that alley. I had to quit work at the lake because of that rheumatism. It had my back all used up. After I quit work I wanted to get

disadvantages eliminated altogether. You will note, first, that the steamer itself is of the ocean type, only more comfortable; second, that the trip is three days long, which affords time for a complete rest quite apart from the fact that a round trip from New York city to Duluth with six days' steaming, can be made between Saturday morning and the following Saturday night. \* \* \* And, third, that there is no monotony about any part of it.

\* \* \* The emotion of surprise in its ultimate degree is susceptible of change into other emotions. To find the bell-hoys (or cabin stewards) attentive yet unobtrusive, the waiters courteous and painstaking, the ship's officers genial and communicative, the purser a gentleman and a diplomat of the first water, the cooking absolutely first-class, the staterooms clean and cool—and all this with the other advantages noted in the foregoing—is enough to arouse the ire of a man who only finds it out after it has been available nine years \* \* \*

\* \* \* The steamship Northwest sails from Duluth for Buffalo and intermediate points every Tuesday at 11:30 p. m.

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Per steamer Charter from Vancouver—E. H. Flager, Geo McMillan, H. Harris, Miss Ponsonby, Mrs. G. George, Mrs. Wanghams, Miss Wanghams, Miss Tomlinson, Mr. Plaxton, Mr. Atkinson, Miss Dickinson, Miss Pearson, Mrs. E. Doran, Mrs. White, Mrs. White, Miss Davis, A. W. Vowell, Mrs. Robertson, L. J. Boscombe, T. Vining, Dr. Tolmie, Mrs. Whittington, W. A. Clayards, Mrs. Gibson, F. W. Madge, R. Faber, Miss White, G. R. C. White, E. W. Welsh, E. H. Davis, S. A. Holland, L. L. Tregeller, L. E. Chelote, A. G. McKenney, N. Shaffer, Dr. O. Roblin, Mrs. Vigerly, Miss May, Smith, J. Stimpson, Steven Baker, E. Baker, L. Hunter, J. Sinclair, D. Walters, W. A. Lawson, H. Chapman, Mrs. Dixon, Mr. Dixon, J. S. Reed, D. Suston, J. Walsh, S. McClellan, Mrs. Watson, T. H. Watson, D. J. Munro, L. Olmstead, B. McRoy, Mrs. McRoy, C. W. Keenley.

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Per steamer Chaliford from the Sound—Jas. Martin, R. Bedford, Miss Johnstone, A. H. Hamer, Mrs. J. H. Knox, Miss Knox, Mrs. W. D. F. Edwards, Miss Edwards, R. Wingate, H. Clark, Mrs. H. Clark, Mrs. Gilchrist, Miss Gilchrist, Anton Sundon, Mrs. Sundon, Miss Sundon, E. L. Bishop, Mrs. E. L. Bishop, E. Ellis, R. B. Bell, W. G. O'Laughlin, Capt. H. H. Lloyd, J. Moss, F. F. Smith, Miss Mathews, E. J. Palmer, Mrs. Brewster, Mrs. A. DeLaunay, Miss DeLaunay, F. A. Scranton, Mrs. F. A. Scranton, Miss McDougal, J. A. Whittier, Geo. Letts, J. L. Beckwith, N. S. Clark, Max Cawka, Mrs. Max Cawka, H. G. Walker, J. Gadson, Mrs. Fraser, Donald Fraser, G. W. Walker, D. Herbert, Mrs. Strubhaar, Felix Hughes, H. G. McMillan, A. Johnson, J. H. W. Horden, W. Schroeder, P. Kennett, Miss Kennett, R. Kennett, A. Dangerfield, C. Dangerfield, P. Peterson, E. A. Ramage, W. Harper, Frank Raya.

IN ALL THE WORLD NO TRIP LIKE THIS."

Thomas F. Woodlock in Wall Street Journal, July 15th.

\* \* \* Your correspondent is more or less of an Atlantic traveller, having made some fifteen trips across the ocean, and is more or less familiar with this particular type of holiday. Its strong points are:

(1) Absolute rest for mind and body.

(2) Unlimited fresh air.

With, of course, the strong points much the most important and entirely predominant.

Circumstances compelled the writer this year to forgo the usual Atlantic trip, as he had to go West. Having some detailed acquaintance with railroad affairs, he was

\* \* \* aware that the Northern Steamship Company—owned by the Great Northern—operated a steamer from Buffalo to Duluth, making the trip in three days, and he determined to try it.

\* \* \* He found a magnificent ocean-

going steamer close upon 400 feet long, of 8,000 horse-power, developing a speed of 18 to 22 miles an hour, fitted up in a style that has never been surpassed on any ocean vessel, whatever her size, furnished with large airy staterooms, lofty saloons and decks innumerable, the top deck being something like 10 feet above the water. Brilliantly lit, admirably ventilated, most conveniently arranged as to all appointments.

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## "A Moorland Princess."

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## CHAPTER II.

What Breakspear Found in the Portmantau.

When Jim Breakspear was a little boy, and had climbed up on Christmas morning to take down from a high, old-fashioned mantelpiece the strangely-bulging stocking which Santa Claus had filled in the dead watches of the night, there had scarcely been a keener thrill of curiosity and anticipation in his finger-spots than now when he opened the black portmantau.

Would he, in another moment, be anathematizing himself as a fool, or congratulating himself on a stroke of luck?

One side of the portmantau was closed with a stiff flap fastened into place with leather straps and buckles, though Jim turned his attention to the part that was open. At first sight, its contents were disappointing.

They consisted of an overcoat, half-lined with astrachan, and having a collar of the same. Once the garment had been as expensive doubtless as it was showy, but now it would scarcely fetch as many shillings as it had originally cost pounds. The pockets—which Jim examined with a queer qualm of compunction—were empty, and he had tossed aside the coat in disgust when his eye was caught by a spot of color on the lining which was torn in several places. This spot was nothing more nor less than a Maltese cross formed of two pieces of bright blue ribbon, carefully sewn into the lining in such a position that it would nearly have covered the heart when the coat was worn.

Again the Maltese cross! Jim could not understand its significance, unless the owner of the portmantau had been a member of some secret society which required the brotherhood to identify themselves by the display of a Maltese cross.

Besides the overcoat, in this first side of the portmantau were a few articles of underclothing, and lastly, an assortment of folding maps. These Jim opened one after the other, and decided that they must have been torn from volumes of Baedecker. There was Corsica, there was Capri, there was Jerusalem, there were the Greek Isles, there was Hungary, there were the Harz mountains. And on each map, at a certain spot, was a small Maltese cross neatly drawn with a blue pencil.

None of these things were interesting in themselves, yet Breakspear's curiosity was pricked further, with each discovery, and there was a betrayal of excitement in his quick unbuckling of the straps which closed the other side of the portmantau.

The first thing he saw was the costume of a male peasant of the country round Naples, such a costume as is worn oftener nowadays by itinerant musicians who play at hotels than by the peasants themselves. Under this were other peasant costumes, one Hungarian, a second, which Jim took to be German, and a Bedouin cloak, with a Bedouin's peculiar ropa headress. Inside the breast of each of these was sewn a blue silk Maltese cross.

Jim ardently wished that he had been gifted with the instincts of a detective. If he were a born Sherlock Holmes his mind might instantly leap to the solving of this problem, which he began mentally to call the "problem of the Maltese cross." But being only an ordinarily clever young man, who had made as little use as possible of his University education, who had loved hunting and cricket, and football more than cryptograms, and had never had a mystery in his life till today, he felt incredibly stupid. Two and two refused to be put together in a way to make four; but he had not yet quite come to the end of the "prize package." Now that all the clothing was out there was still left a small inlaid wooden box of Italian make, and a paper parcel of rather peculiar shape. In either one of these might be found an explanation of the mystery.

Breakspear took out the parcel, which looked as if it might contain an unusually large melon cut in half. Off came a layer of brown paper to show another of white underneath. Within was an old soft damask napkin, with an initial and a crest embroidered in one corner, and before he had quite removed this Jim gave vent to an exclamation.

Had he been a nervous woman he would probably have dropped the contents of the carefully-wrapped parcel and broken it in a dozen pieces, for it was of an exceedingly perishable nature. As it was the faint ejaculation was the only expression of his emotion.

At first sight he thought that he held in his hand merely a peculiarly horrible plaster model of a face. But, knowing something of the subject, a longer look told him that the thing which had fallen into his possession was a death-mask—a death-mask taken from the face of a person who had died in anguish.

Jim Breakspear had a friend who was a sculptor, and from this friend he knew how grease had been spread upon the features of the dead to prevent the skin being torn away by the hot plaster, a mould is taken; later, the mould is filled with more plaster, and, the original being removed, the model of the face remains with each feature exact.

The proof that this cast had been taken in this way was a gruesome one, for the hairs of the eyebrows, many of the lashes, and the delicate, almost imperceptible down which had grown on cheeks and forehead, pulled away by the mask, had rooted themselves in the plaster with grim effectiveness. Two or three hairs in the eyebrows had grown longer than the others and hung down over the horrible, half-open eyes with their straggling lashes. The writhen lips were parted in a grin of agony, showing the shape of the teeth. On one cheek was a mole with three great stiff grey



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## PROVINCIAL NEWS.

## VANCOUVER.

A meeting of local retail merchants was held in the rooms of the Employers' Association on Tuesday evening with the object of considering the advisability of forming a Retailers' Association for the purpose of promoting the interests and conserving the rights of the retail merchants of the city. A. E. Lees presided over the meeting. A. E. Goodwin being appointed secretary pro tem. It was decided to organize an association which should have the following as its aims and objects: 1. To safeguard and promote the interests of the various retail merchants throughout the city. 2. To have the retail trade of the city confined to the legitimate retailers. 3. To enforce the Transient Traders' Act and take measures to regulate the system of peddling in a fair and just manner. 4. To induce the public in every way to patronize local merchants and to purchase goods of local manufacture. 5. To promote a better feeling among the merchants of the city and to work together for the advancement of the commercial interests of the city. It was arranged to call a general meeting of all interested at an early date, at which the objects of the association will be clearly set forth and steps taken to complete the organization and elect officers.

"By Jove, the man from whom the mask was taken died some violent death," was the thought in Breakspear's mind. He remembered the awful faces he had once seen in the museum at Pompeii, and put the mask away from him with a slight sensation of sickness. The thing was too horribly real. He did not know what he should do with it. The thought of keeping it in his rooms was not an attractive one.

Glad to put it from his mind as well as from his hand he took the inlaid box—he last chance of finding hidden treasure—from the portmantau, which at last stood empty. It was a trick box, which was made to resemble a row of books with red and blue backs, fitted into a cage. The way of opening was not apparent; but it was a cheap and simple little contrivance, such as one buys for seven or eight francs at Naples, and in three or four minutes Breakspear had fathomed its poor secret, slipped back a tiny panel of wood to show a key, turned it in the lock, and caused the backs of the books to slide away. Inside was a thin packet of papers fastened together with a rubber band.

(To be continued.)

## Disease and Death Often Found in Cow's Milk.

The tendency of cow's milk to become acid is due to fermentation induced by certain bacteria. Cow's milk often carries disease germs, the principal ones being those of tuberculosis, scarlet fever and typhoid fever. Sensible mothers are aware of these facts, and regularly use wholesome and life-building Lactated Food for their infants and young children. The composition of this food renders it safe and satisfying at all seasons of the year. It is the only food that can protect the little ones from the deadly ills and complaints of summer; it establishes perfect digestive vigor, enabling weak babies to grow fat and plump.

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The Provincial Licensed Victuellers' Association met yesterday at Vancouver. Representative liquor dealers from all over the province were present. The officers elected were: President, A. Von Rhein, Esquimalt; first vice-president, H. T. Lockyer, manager Hudon's Bay, Vancouver; second vice-president, H. Lev Steverson; secretary, C. C. Tilley, Grand Forks; treasurer, N. Nelson, New Westminster. Delegates were present from Victoria, Nanaimo, Westminster, Steveston, Grand Forks, Nelson and Vancouver. The next meeting will be held October 1st at Vancouver.

## FERNI.

Three cases of carrying matches into the Coal Creek mines were tried in the police court recently. Andrew Laseo was found guilty of this offence before, and when he was being searched this time he managed to get rid of the matches by throwing them behind him, where they were found. He was given a month in jail. On Thomas Nelson only one match was found. He was not a smoker and pleaded that he was wearing another man's overalls. He got off with \$5 fine. A pipe was found on Victor Lamot, but no matches, and he was allowed to go. Stipendiary Magistrate Forbes and Chief McMullan went to Michel to try a number of men charged with carrying matches or pipes into the mines. There were eleven cases altogether. One could not be found and four others, charged with carrying pipes only, were dismissed. The other six pleaded guilty and each were fined \$5 and costs.

The London News, which has been since its inception in 1859, an independent newspaper, will go out of business August 15th. It has been bought by the Free Press and Advertiser Companies for \$10,000.

Like TEARING THE HEART STRINGS. It is not within the conception of man to measure my great suffering from heart disease. For years I endured almost constant cutting and tearing pains about my heart, and many a time would have welcomed death. Dr. Agnew's Cure for the Heart has worked a veritable miracle.—Thos. Hicks, Perth, Ont. Sold by Jackson & Co. and Hall & Co.—50.

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TO-DAY'S PLAY.

Results of Morning's Matches in the Lawn Tennis Tournament.

The lawn tennis tournament at the Belcher street courts under the auspices of the Victoria club was continued this morning. The first match of the day was between R. B. Powell and Miss Bickford, and commenced shortly after 9.30 o'clock.

There were a number of even games this morning. The contest between Freeman and Rogers and Cornwall and Pratt was one of these. It was notable for the excellent play of the California man, who appears to have recovered considerably from yesterday's relapse. Three sets were played to decide the winners, and Freeman and Rogers won by a score of 6-2, 2-6, 6-2. The single between Farquhar and Paton was close, as was also that between Capt. Banbury and Miss Vernon and J. Rithet and Miss Dunsmuir.

The results follow:

R. B. Powell and Miss Bickford beat Lt. Cameron and Miss Pinder 6-1, 6-2.

Freeman and Rogers beat Cornwall and Pratt 6-2, 2-6, 6-2.

Farquhar beat Paton 7-5, 5-7, 6-4.

Mrs. Langton and Miss Bickford beat Miss Mara and Miss Todd 6-1, 6-2.

Freeman and Miss A. Bell beat H. Pooley and Mrs. Baker 6-4, 6-4.

Hunter beat Kenworthy 6-4, 6-4.

Miss Macrae beat Miss Seymour 6-0, 6-4.

Mrs. Handy beat Mrs. Langton 6-0, 6-4.

Capt. Banbury and Miss Vernon beat J. Rithet and Mrs. Dunsmuir 6-3, 6-2.

The match scheduled to be played between Farquhar and Miss Smith and Cornwall and Miss Holmes at 12 o'clock is taking place this afternoon, commencing at 3 p.m.

The club dance will take place on Friday night at the A. O. U. W. hall.

## SIR JAMES HECTOR ON THE AORANGI

### HE IS ON HIS WAY TO BANFF SPRINGS

The Discoverer of Kicking Horse Pass Will Spend a Holiday in Canada.

The R. M. S. Aorangi arrived from Australia and New Zealand this afternoon after an uneventful trip. She had about 150 first class passengers on board. The Aorangi was delayed somewhat by a thick fog which was encountered yesterday.

Among the many passengers on board were of such interest to British Columbians as Sir James Hector. Sir James is now seventy years of age, but is still deeply interested in geological research. It was in his capacity as a geologist that he discovered the Kicking Horse Pass in the Rocky Mountains, which has been utilized by the C. P. R. in making its way into British Columbia. Mount Hector in the Rockies commands the visit of this geologist and explorer to Western Canada.

Interviewed to-day on board the Aorangi, Sir James became reminiscent of his explorations throughout Canada. It was in 1857 that he discovered the Kicking Horse Pass, and an accident which led to the name still affects him. He was kicked by a horse belonging to the exploration party and believed by the remaining members to have been killed. His grave was dug in the pass and preparations were being made for the interment of the body when signs of life were shown. Thus was Sir James snatched from the grave. He was sent out to Canada by the Colonial office to report upon the character of the country, which was then being left to the Hudson's Bay Company as fit for nothing but the trade. For four years he was engaged in exploring from Lake Superior westward. Sir James discovered the richness of the western prairies and of the mountains, and by his report did much to awaken an interest in the country. As he himself says, he was the inventor of the phrase "fertile belt," which has ever since been used in describing the Northwest grain lands. He visited the North River valley and reported upon its richness. He also explored through the northern portions of British Columbia, as well as the more southern part, through which the C. P. R. now passes. Vancouver Island was also traversed by him and he plied his interviews this afternoon with all kinds of questions regarding the development of its resources. "Have they ever found the coal on the west side of the Island yet?" he asked. "Well, it is there; I have samples of it gathered myself," he continued.

Since 1861 Sir James has been director of the geological survey of New Zealand. He is on his way now, accompanied by his son, to spend a few weeks at Banff.

**THE SALMON SITUATION:** The catch of salmon in the Gulf and the Fraser continues to improve somewhat, but the run seems to be a very intermittent one this season. On the Skeena during the first part of the season there was a very poor supply of salmon. Later a change took place, and the run improved considerably, and fishermen were feeling encouraged. This has fallen off and a poor run is again reported.

**EXTENDING OPERATIONS:** The Western Canada Fish Company, of Vancouver, with their drying plant at Barnet, have purchased the schooner Eva Marie. She will fish halibut, black cod and any other marketable fish for the chartering company, off Cape Flattery. Besides the Binkley, which is in Bering Sea after a cargo of grey cod, the Canadian Fish Company has the Lulu, the Hesperus and the Hyacinth bringing fish to their big drying plant at Barnet.

**MARINE NOTES:** The British steamer Tottenham, lumber laden from Portland and Astoria, is taking on bunker coal on the Sound preparatory to leaving for the Orient.

Queen City will leave to-morrow evening for Ahoosaut and way ports. The British ship Chelmsford, with 3,750 tons of coal, the Matterhorn with 2,900 tons, and the German ship Siam, with 2,541 tons, have arrived in San Francisco from Newcastle, Australia.

The American schooner W. H. Talbot, which is discharging sulphur for the Chemical Works at the oyster dock, will load lumber at Vancouver for Sydney.

The French barque Pierre Antoine has arrived at Port Townsend. She is the first grain ship of the season 1903-4 to load on the Sound. She will load at Tacoma.

The Gedney, Capt. Dickens, one of the

most notable of the California men, who appears to have recovered considerably from yesterday's relapse. Three sets were played to decide the winners, and Freeman and Rogers won by a score of 6-2, 2-6, 6-2. The single between Farquhar and Paton was close, as was also that between Capt. Banbury and Miss Vernon and J. Rithet and Miss Dunsmuir.

The results follow:

R. B. Powell and Miss Bickford beat Lt. Cameron and Miss Pinder 6-1, 6-2.

Freeman and Rogers beat Cornwall and Pratt 6-2, 2-6, 6-2.

Farquhar beat Paton 7-5, 5-7, 6-4.

Mrs. Langton and Miss Bickford beat Miss Mara and Miss Todd 6-1, 6-2.

Freeman and Miss A. Bell beat H. Pooley and Mrs. Baker 6-4, 6-4.

Hunter beat Kenworthy 6-4, 6-4.

Miss Macrae beat Miss Seymour 6-0, 6-4.

Mrs. Handy beat Mrs. Langton 6-0, 6-4.

Capt. Banbury and Miss Vernon beat J. Rithet and Mrs. Dunsmuir 6-3, 6-2.

The match scheduled to be played between Farquhar and Miss Smith and Cornwall and Miss Holmes at 12 o'clock is taking place this afternoon, commencing at 3 p.m.

The club dance will take place on Friday night at the A. O. U. W. hall.

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coast survey schooners of the United States, arrived in port this morning from the Sound. She is expected to leave this evening for Sitka.

The Danube will leave this evening for Naas and way ports. She carries considerable freight for the north, the Hudson's Bay Company shipping a good deal by her.

**IN THE GOOD OLD SUMMER TIME**

Everybody suffers more—or less from cramps, stomach pains, headache and should have a bottle of that good family remedy Polson's Nervilene always on hand. "Just a few drops of Nervilene in sweetened water makes a pleasant invigorating drink," writes E. A. Allen, of Swanset. "It's just splendid for stomach and bowel troubles and stops summer complaint at once. In our house we use Nervilene for the pains and aches of the whole family and seldom need the doctor because Nervilene is always handy." Sold in large 25c. bottles everywhere.

**PERSONAL**

Bernard McEvoy, the well known Canadian writer, arrived in the city last night. Readers of the Times will remember his visit to Victoria last fall, which was followed by a series of entertaining articles in the Eastern papers, some being reproduced in these columns. Since November he and Mrs. McEvoy have been in Vancouver, where their son is practicing law. While here Mr. McEvoy intends to collect data for additional articles.

**G. R. Ingles**, of Kansas City; W. D. Creighton, of San Francisco; P. L. Green, of Seattle; and W. Miller, wife and son, F. W. Thackeray and Mrs. Thackeray, and Miss Ella Kinley, of Grinnell, Iowa, are among the tourists making their headquarters at the Victoria hotel.

**Chief Justice Sifton**, of Alberta, Mrs. Sifton and Miss Sifton, are visiting the city. They are guests at the Drury. Chief Justice Sifton is a brother of Hon. Clifford Sifton, minister of the interior.

**Harry H. Shackleton** and H. H. Fugget, of England, who have been spending some weeks at Cowichan, returned yesterday and are guests at the Dominion hotel.

**L. J. Boscozwitz**, E. E. Welsh, W. A. Lawson and H. Chapman were among last night's arrivals from the Mainland.

**A. L. Belyea**, K. C., left on a trip to Atlin this morning. He expects to be absent about a month.

**J. L. Beckwith**, E. J. Palmer and N. S. Clarke came over from Seattle this morning by the Canadian.

**James Dunsmuir** has returned from a visit to Comoxland, Easton and Lady-smith.

**Capt. H. H. Lloyd** was among this morning's passengers from the Sound.

**A. W. Howell**, Indian agent, returned from Vancouver last night.

**W. W. H. McLean** is in the city. He is at the Vernon hotel.

**James Mastland Dougall**, of Duncan, is at the Victoria.

**RETAIL MARKETS.**

There are few changes this week in the market quotations. Flour of all grades has advanced 10 per cent. Local farmers are bringing in Island apples and receiving good prices. A few consignments of excellent Oregon Gravensteins have been received by local merchants, and are retailing at about four pounds for 25c.

The quotations follow:

**Flour**, per lb. 18

  American, per lb. 25

  Cantelope, per lb. 25

  Watermelon, each 50

**Hungarian Flour**—

  Oatgroat, per sack 1.40

  Oatmeal, per sack 1.40

  Oats, per sack 1.40

  Oatmeal, per sack